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A Georgia correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer, writes as follows to that paper:

"In order to show you what the war cost the commonwealth of Georgia, I will state that according to statistics on file in the controller-general's office, at Milledgeville, the taxable wealth of the State was in 1863, \$840,081,127. There were at that time 486,170 negro slaves, valued at, say \$400 apiece, and in all at \$422,073,000, which has been lost by the abolition of slavery. Loss of property burned, confiscated and destroyed in various ways by the Federal armies, estimated at \$100,000,000. Losses sustained by railroads, in the destruction of rolling stock, depots, bridges and track, claims against the Confederate Government for services performed, \$30,000,000; banking stock and other losses, such as that sustained by private individuals, \$15,000,000; making a grand total of what the late war costs this State alone \$439,468,000. And far greater than this, than all, was the loss of 15,000 men killed and died in service, and 30,000 wounded. But there is life in the old land yet!

Washington College now has about ninety students, and this number is being daily increased. The president is in receipt of letters from all parts of the country, (North as well South,) indicating a purpose to patronize the institution. Gen. Lee may be seen every day quietly walking to his duties at the college, or taking an evening ride on his famous iron grey. He has been boarding at the hotel, but his house is now being fitted up in suitable style for the reception of his family.

The Methodist Episcopal churches in New York are making considerable preparations to celebrate the first Sunday of next January, which is to be the anniversary of the one hundredth year of the existence of that denomination in America.

Advices from Rio de Janeiro, received yesterday via New York, state that the recent successes of the allies in the war with Paraguay were regarded as decisive, and it was believed that hostilities would soon terminate. Colonel Wood and the gentlemen who accompanied him to Brazil, to negotiate for the purchase of lands there for six hundred Southern families, are said to have met with an enthusiastic reception.

The work of reconstructing the broken levees of the Mississippi, in Louisiana, is to be commenced immediately. The prospects of raising a cotton crop next year, on the Red River, Louisiana, by the assistance of the freed negroes, are said to be very gloomy.

The railroad depot at Milford, Mass., was broken into last night and the safe blown open and robbed of one hundred dollars. One of the burglars was found on the floor this morning, with his skull fractured by a piece of iron blown from the safe. He cannot live. He has not been identified, nor have any traces of his accomplices been discovered.

The Times has reliable information that 4,000 bales of Government cotton were destroyed by fire at Columbus, Miss., on the 25th of November. It was the work of an incendiary. Loss about one million dollars.

A convention of the colored people of New England is in session in Boston for the purpose of having the Constitution of the United States so altered as to fix the general qualification for the voters in all States, to have settled what is citizenship in the American sense, and to look to all matters concerning the colored man and his status in the land.

Another British female author is dead. Lady Theresa Lewis, the widow of that scholarly statesman, the late Sir George Cornwall Lewis, has lately died. She edited Miss Berry's Diary, wrote an admired little novel, "The semi-detached House" which has been republished here, and was a leader in fashionable and educated society. A daughter of Lady Lewis is the wife of Mr. W. Vernon Harcourt, better known as "Historicus."

It appears by an official statement from the United States treasury that the disbursements on account of the war and navy departments for the past month of November were \$11,117,593.99 less than for the same month last year. The reduction on account of the war department is \$8,321,899.32, and on account of the navy \$2,795,694.67. This is a very gratifying exhibit.

Thursday next is Thanksgiving Day.

Financial.
FIRST NATIONAL BANK—
Corner of Prince and Water Streets.
Government Bonds,
5 PER CENT TREASURY NOTES,
QUARTERMASTERS' CHECKS
AND
CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS.
BOUGHT.
REVENUE STAMPS FOR SALE.
Collections made on all parts of the United States.

Drafts on Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York.
EXCHANGE ON EUROPE.
Gold, Silver, and Bank Notes bought and sold. feb 9—tf

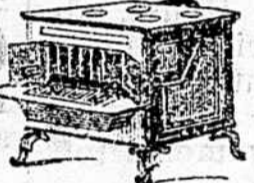
JNO. W. BURKE, A. HERBERT, J. W. MAURY
BURKE, HERBERT & CO.,
BANKERS.

Office, corner King and Water sts., Alex., Va.

BUY AND SELL
UNCURRENT MONEY.
GOLD AND SILVER COIN.
AND EXCHANGE.

BONDS AND STOCKS,
BOUGHT AND SOLD ON COMMISSION
Sight Drafts, Checks, and Time Collections promptly remitted for. nov 1—tf

Stoves, Tin Ware, &c.


PURCELL & HOY,
NO. 174.
S. W. corner of
KING & WASHINGTON STREETS
AGENTS FOR THE
MAGEE & BARSTOW
PATENT VENTILATING STOVES.

Comprising
Parlor, Cook, Hall and Dining Room Stoves,
Hot Air Furnaces and Ranges.
Also manufacturers and Dealers in all sorts of
Stoves, Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware.
Guttering, Spouting, Roofing, &c.,
done in the best manner, and at shortest notice.
HOUSE AND SHIP PLUMBING done in the
best manner. All work Warranted.
je 19—tf

STOVES! **STOVES!**

S. CUVILLIER.
(Kell's Old Stand.)
NO. 23, KING STREET.
Keeps constantly on hand a large assortment
of COOK, PARLOR and other STOVES, with
a general assortment of TIN WARE. This
selection of Cook Stoves being the best in use,
he warrants their cooking qualities.
Roofing, Guttering and Plumbing done at
shortest notice. oct 19—tjanl

BAILEY HOUSE,
WESTON, WEST VA..
ANDERSON & SMITH,
Managers and Proprietors.
nov 4—1m

J. T. SHERWOOD'S
FAMILY GROCERY
AND PROVISION STORE
Corner of Queen and St. Asaph Sts.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.,
jy 12—tf

DAVY & HARMON,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Grocers, Feed and Flour Merchants.
Corner of Prince and Royal Sts.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
jan 19—1y

JUST RECEIVED—Fresh Green, Black
and Japan Teas; Trimmed Shad, very nice;
Mackerel, new and fat; Potomac Herring;
Pickled Pork, cheap; Bacon shoulders and
sides; Sardines, fresh; Raisins, Currants,
Dried Cherries, Prunes, Lemons, Preserved
Ginger; Pickles loose; Bath Brick; Silver
Soap; a good variety of Market and Fancy
Baskets; all of which, and everything else in
our line, we will sell at the lowest cash prices.
JOSEPH T. JANNEY,
ner Prince and Pitt streets.
oc 3—tf

COTTON YARN, just received and for sale
by **T. M. GRIGSBY,**
No. 187, King street.
oc 30—tf

A SMALL SAFE, Herring's Patent, for
sale at the Banking House of Burke, Her-
bert & Co. no 27—

FRESH ROLL BUTTER—
Just received and for sale by
H. ERIC SMITH,
No. 289, King street.
no 27—

WANTED—LOCUST TIMBER and LO-
CUST TRENAIS. For particulars
address Box 270, Alexandria P. O. no 27—1w*

MINCE MEAT—
A lot of Fisher's Unrivalled Mince
Meat, for sale by
DAVY & HARMON.
no 25 tf

Commission Merchants.
GEORGE H. ROBINSON,
GROCER, FORWARDING
AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 5, UNION ST., ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Particular attention paid to the selling of all
kinds of country produce. Goods forwarded
promptly. no 21—tf

BOWEN, BROTHER & CO.,
GENERAL SHIPPING &
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
ALSO,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS,
SHIP CHANDLERS,
AND PRODUCE DEALERS.

We intend to receive daily, and keep con-
stantly on hand, a large and well selected stock
of choice
FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
AS WELL AS
SHIP STORES.

SHIP CHANDLERY.
RAILROAD AND
ENGINEER SUPPLIES.
Particular attention paid to the forwarding of
goods, either by rail or water.
All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE bought
or exchanged.

The highest prices paid for Grain, Wool, Su-
mac, Butter, Eggs, &c.
Our connection with NEW YORK and other
cities enable us to secure the best supplies the
Northern market affords, as well as to secure
the best prices for consignments shipped through
our hands.

Also, agents of the ATLANTIC STEAM-
SHIP COMPANY'S SEMI-WEEKLY LINE
OF STEAMERS running between Washington,
Alexandria and New York. oc 10—tf

THOMAS PERRY,
FORWARDING AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
NO. 8, PRINCE STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Farmers furnished with Guano, Farming
Implements, Groceries, &c., at the lowest mar-
ket rates FOR CASH. aug 25—tf

J. WOODVILLE ASHBY, JOHN S. WHARTON,
ASHBY & WHARTON,
GROCERS, COMMISSION &
FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
and dealers in LIQUORS.
N. W. Corner King and Union Sts., Alex., Va.
sep 13—tf

C. F. SUTTLE,
COMMISSION AND
FORWARDING MERCHANT,
No. 45, King street,
ALEXANDRIA.
nov 9—tf

JOHN S. KNOX, JR.,
(Formerly Knox & Bro.)
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
No. 10, Union street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Country Produce Bought and Sold.
jy 26—tf

W. A. SMOOT,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
No. 21, North Union Street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Country Produce Bought and Sold.
aug 3—6m

Groceries, &c.

GEORGE E. WHITE,
Liberty Hall.
89 and 91, Cameron street.
Invites attention to his very extensive and
choice stock of
GROCERIES,
embracing Teas, Coffee, Sugars, Spices, Hams,
Bacon, Flour, Candles, Soap, Molasses, Butter,
Cheese, Canned Meats and Fruits, Jellies, Fari-
na, Corn Starch, and a great variety of articles,
usually found in a grocery store.

BRUCE'S
CONCENTRATED FERTILIZER.
SWAN ISLAND GUANO.
HAY, GRAIN and FEED always on hand.
He also asks attention to his unusually large
and fine stock of

LIQUORS.
of every description, consisting of Whiskies high
and low grades, Brandy, Gin, California Wines,
Champagne, Port, Sherry, and other Wines,
Jamaica Spirits, Santa Cruz Rum, Cordials, Ale
from the Washington Brewery, in barrels and
half barrels, &c., &c.

Also, CIGARS and TOBACCO, in great va-
riety.
Goods delivered to all parts of the city free of
charge. oc 16—tf

J. CLINTON MILBURN,
FAMILY GROCER,
AND DEALER IN FINE
TEAS, WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, &c.,
Corner Cameron and Royal streets,
Opposite the Market, ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Country Produce bought and sold. jy 17—1y

HENDERSON BROS.,
Dealers in
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
No. 220, King st., cor. Alfred.
Have constantly on hand, and daily receiving
a large and well selected stock of choice
FAMILY GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
of all kinds to which they invite the attention of
their friends and the public in general. fe 7—tf

Dry Goods, Millinery, &c.

SELLING OFF!
SECURE YOUR BARGAINS!

S. DEALHAM,
106 KING STREET, 106

IS SELLING OFF AT
COST!

HIS IMMENSE STOCK OF
CUSTOM MADE CLOTHING,

As his entire stock will have to be closed out
POSITIVELY BEFORE NEXT SPRING,
on account of a change of business.

BOOTS AND SHOES
Will be sold at

LESS THAN COST.
Remember,

S. DEALHAM,
106, KING STREET,
nov 7—3m ALEXANDRIA.

MADAME DEMOREST'S BRANCH,
DRESS MAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
117, KING STREET.

MRS. H. ROSENBAUM, sole agent in
Alexandria, for the above establishment, has
just received the latest styles of Fall and Winter
Patterns, for Ladies' and Children's wear. This
is the only place in town where ladies can rely
on getting their Dresses Made in the Latest
Parisian and New York Fashions.

JUST received—a splendid assortment of
DRESS TRIMMING AND BUTTONS.
at MRS. H. ROSENBAUM'S, 117, King st.

FRENCH FLUTING done at
MRS. H. ROSENBAUMS, 117, King st.

FURS cleaned, repaired and altered to the la-
test fashions, at MRS. H. ROSENBAUMS,
117, King st., Alexandria, Va. oc 31—tf

NEW FANCY & DRY GOODS STORE.
CHARLES W. GREEN,
No. 19, North Fairfax Street, in Mansion
House Building.

Has just received a large assortment of FAN-
CY and DRY GOODS for fall and Winter use;
which will be sold at the lowest rates. se 1—1y

CLOSING OUT A DRY GOODS STORE.
The undersigned will commence to sell off
his entire stock of DRY GOODS to-day, and
will continue till disposed of. He offers the
ladies of Alexandria and vicinity great bargains,
as he has concluded to leave by New Year.—
Best qualities of Calicoes, at 30 cents; Delaines,
35 cents; French Merinoes, the best quality,
\$1.40; and all other articles in proportion. Call
and see him before buying elsewhere. I have
also a large stock of Cloaks and Shawls, which
I will sell cheap.
B. STOLL,
178, King street,
oc 20—tf 2 doors above Washington.

SHIRTS. SHIRTS.
The next thing to a good fitting coat is a good
fitting SHIRT; which can only be obtained by
measurement, the same as for a coat.
MESSES. O'NEIL & DWELLY are pre-
pared to take measures and manufacture
SHIRTS to order, and guarantee a fit. Give
them a trial if you want a nice fitting shirt.—
Their place of business is at 83, King st. no 2—tf

NOTICE.
GOTLEIB APPICH, having thoroughly re-
fitted his establishment, is now prepared to fur-
nish his customers and the public with every
description of FRENCH and AMERICAN
CONFECTIONERY, Ice Cream, Preserves,
Cordials, Fruits, Toys, &c., &c.

Particular attention given to the getting up
of Bride and other Cakes, which will be fur-
nished from the plainest to the most recherche
style at reasonable prices.

A saloon expressly for ladies is attached to
the establishment, where meals, oysters, &c.,
can be had at all hours. nov 16—1m

JUST RECEIVED.—A fresh lot of BUTTER
from Loudoun county,
J. T. SHERWOOD,
no 24 Cor. Queen & St. Asaph sts.

100,000 CIGARS.—Consisting of Es-
panola, La Coqueta, El Mun-
do, El Sol, Corona Ducal, La Rivera and other
brands, for sale by
GEO. E. WHITE,
no 6—1m Nos. 89 and 91, Cameron st.

J. P. CLARKE can be found at his old stand,
J. No. 158, King street, up stairs. He is
prepared to do all kinds of PAPER and CUR-
TAIN HANGING and UPHOLSTERING, at
the shortest notice. sep 15—cotf

SHIP CHANDLERY—30 coils of HEMP
and MANILLA ROPE; 20 coils BAL-
LING ROPE, for sale by
NATHANIEL BOUSH & CO.
aug 12